From: Zondervan, Quinton
To: Terry Nichols
Bcc: Totten, Daniel
Subject: Re: Please vote today to support the BDS resolution
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Thanks Terry, the resolution is not before us. A lot of misinformation has been spread :-(I am working with the proponents to find a productive way forward. Thanks again for your and Donna's support! It means a lot to me.

Best,

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On Apr 23, 2018, at 1:17 PM, Terry Nichols <charles.a.nichols@verizon.net> wrote:

Hi Quinton,

I hope you are enjoying the challenges of your membership in the City Council. I am very glad that Donna Palermino and I were a small part of the effort to elect you. I've sent the following note to all your colleagues on the Council, and since I know you I especially urge you to support the resolution:

I was not aware of this resolution until I received a flyer from an organization opposed to it. However, that flyer leads me to urge you to support it.

BDS is not anti-Jewish; it is targeted against Israeli policy toward the Palestinian people living in the West Bank and Gaza. Israel has been in violation of UN resolutions for many years in its occupation of this territory. Its government has grown steadily more hostile to Palestinian rights and closer to creating an apartheid state in the land that it illegally occupies. BDS is focused only on that occupation, not on the internationally recognized right of the state of Israel to exist within its original boundaries.

The Cambridge City Council has often passed resolutions on international affairs. I urge you to take a stand on the side of justice here and support the BDS resolution today.

Sincerely yours,

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